



AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION'S

Chippewa Tribe-UNE

MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG COMMUNITY CENTRE

HALLOWEEN DANCE

Weather permitting
at the PAVILION

Otherwise the Dance will
be in the Gym.



FRIDAY 28th OCTOBER 2022 5PM

Best Costume Contest - 4 categories
ages 0-4, ages 5 - 9, ages 10 - 14, and 15 +

Music - Snacks and fun fun fun!

Right To Play will be hosting a Food Fundraiser in the Youth Lounge.



Aamjiwnaang Chief & Council

Agenda Item Submission

Information and Deadlines

- * Regular Council Meetings - 1st & 3rd Monday of every month. If Monday falls on a statutory holiday the meeting is generally held the following day. Please note, that from time to time meetings may be cancelled or postponed.
- * Deadline - Tuesday's prior to the regularly scheduled meeting date, by 12:00 noon, for Band Manager review.
- * Agenda Item Request Form is available at reception for the following locations: Administrative Complex (Band Office), E'Mino Bmaad-Zijig Gumig (Health Centre) & Maawn Doosh Gumig (Community Centre); and, on the Aamjiwnaang website.
- * Your completed request form can be submitted in person or email, you may also wish to attach additional documentation and information to support your request (i.e. acceptance letters, budget, personal summary, etc.).
- * Requests will be reviewed by the Band Manager, to ensure that the appropriate personnel/department have the opportunity to respond or resolve the request, prior to being placed on the Council agenda.
- * The guidelines set out above are in place to ensure that the flow of information to and from the Council table is efficient, and that your matter is addressed and resolved in a timely manner.

If you have discussion items for
 Chief and Council on:
October 17th, 2022
 Your information is due by:
October 11th 2022

Miigwech, for your co-operation and understanding.

Ashley Jackson, Aamjiwnaang Council Clerk
ajackson@aamjiwnaang.ca

COUNCIL AGENDAS

Presently a copy of the Council Agenda is posted on the front doors of the Band Office and Community Centre.

If you would like to receive an "electronic" copy of the Council Agenda, please send an email to: pnahmabin@aamjiwnaang.ca providing your name and band number.

Only band members can receive an electronic copy of the Agenda.

Thank you.

Patrick Nahmabin

Community Information Officer



Aboriginal Affairs and
 Northern Development Canada

**IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE
 MANDATORY IDENTIFICATION TO
 OBTAIN A STATUS CARD,
 PLEASE CALL: 1-800-567-9604**

- Advise the call centre representative that you want to obtain a Temporary Confirmation of Registration Document (TCRD).
- They will ask a series of questions to confirm your identity and then mail a Temporary Confirmation of Registration Document (TCRD) to you.
- This document will state your registration number and can be used in place of a Status Card to access benefits and services.

NOTICE – Aamjiwnaang Seniors

RE: Seniors Travel and Recreation Funding

Chief and Council along with the Community Services Committee have developed a new Seniors Travel and Recreation Funding Policy to help assist Seniors with Travel and Recreational activities. This application is for Seniors who have reached the age of fifty-five (55) years and over. The maximum funding is \$500/CA per fiscal year. Applications can be picked up at the Community Centre or Band Office. For more information please contact the Community Centre – 519-491-2160

NOTICE - Band Members

RE: Youth Funding Policy / Funding Applications

Chief and Council along with the Community Services Committee have developed a new Funding Policy to help our youth with their Sports, Arts and Recreational activities. This application is for youth to the age of 25 years. The maximum funding is \$800/CA per fiscal year. This maximum will take into consideration LNHL reimbursement and any other recreational funding. Applications can be picked up at the Community Centre or Band Office. For more information please contact the Community Centre – 519-491-2160

Mino Dbishkaayin-Happy Birthday

Tara Bird	Oct. 21	April Gray	Oct. 28
Gregory Maness	Oct. 21	Sadee Hare	Oct. 28
Keegan Nahmabin	Oct. 21	Holly Koglin	Oct. 28
Jeffery Edward Plain	Oct. 21	Jade McCallum	Oct. 28
Adelynn Rose Plain-Van Den Assem	Oct. 21	Darcy Rogers	Oct. 28
Alexander Rogers	Oct. 21	Amelia Walker	Oct. 28
Cara Adams	Oct. 22	Tabatha Williams	Oct. 28
Quentin Angelo	Oct. 22	Kelly Buchanan	Oct. 29
Richard Kelly Bressette II	Oct. 22	Jessica DeVost	Oct. 29
Nash Broines Jr.	Oct. 22	Wilson Maness	Oct. 29
Shawn Allan Little II	Oct. 22	Jonathan Parker	Oct. 29
Robin Maness	Oct. 22	Aaron Rogers	Oct. 29
Chasity Martens	Oct. 22	Taislyn Rogers-Snake	Oct. 29
Noble Patrick Nahmabin	Oct. 22	Alexander Riley-Rogers	Oct. 29
Avery Robertson	Oct. 22	Royce Haselden	Oct. 29
Joseph Leroy Rogers	Oct. 22	Rose Adams	Oct. 30
Raymond White	Oct. 22	Paula Harris	Oct. 30
Michael Paul Williams	Oct. 22	Douglas Henry	Oct. 30
Wenonah Bird	Oct. 23	Emily Williams	Oct. 30
Randall Hubert	Oct. 23	Sean Bonassin	Oct. 31
Azaidreia Plain-Pagano	Oct. 23	Jeremiah Fawcett	Oct. 31
Sherry Stewart	Oct. 23	Natasha Montano Ramos	Oct. 31
Aria Accetta	Oct. 24	Daanis Joseph	Oct. 31
John Quincy Adams	Oct. 24	Stephan McDonald	Oct. 31
Earl Cottrelle	Oct. 24	Xochilt Meza	Oct. 31
Travis Gray	Oct. 24	Kyle Bird	Nov. 1
Corey Maness	Oct. 24	Quade Cottrelle-Mcmanus	Nov. 1
Freddie Partin Jr.	Oct. 24	Maxine Farris	Nov. 1
Sylvia Plain	Oct. 24	Rachel Jackson	Nov. 1
Donna Adams	Oct. 25	Jessica Stager	Nov. 1
Karen Bressette	Oct. 25	Shianna Fenner	Nov. 2
Kimberley Clarke	Oct. 25	Clay Harvey	Nov. 2
Olivia Forestell	Oct. 25	Norien Plain	Nov. 2
Kevin Plain	Oct. 25	Terri Simerson	Nov. 2
Stephanie Buchanan	Oct. 26	Lariah Sinopole	Nov. 2
Floyd Joseph	Oct. 26	Presley Smith	Nov. 2
Marion Oliver	Oct. 26	Dante Williams	Nov. 2
Orenda Yuzicapi	Oct. 26	Darren Wrightman	Nov. 2
Emily Adams	Oct. 27	Michael B Ayers	Nov. 3
Aniyla Bird	Oct. 27	Robert George	Nov. 3
John Chad	Oct. 27	Luna Kiyoshk	Nov. 3
Otis Haselden	Oct. 27	Robert Kulanda	Nov. 3
Marah Kolberg	Oct. 27	Jeanette Maness	Nov. 3
Dale Timothy Plain	Oct. 27	Chelsey Maracle	Nov. 3
Tiffany Plain	Oct. 27	Joseph Lewis Rogers	Nov. 3
Todd Williams	Oct. 27	Cynthia Rowark	Nov. 3
Irene Bunce	Oct. 28		



ATTENTION TO ALL MEDICAL DRIVERS!!!

Medical Travel slips are now due by Monday's at noon.

Medical Travel Drivers:

Terry Plain (Monis) 519-402-5535
Sheila Firth 519-383-1073
Christine Plain 519-466-0054
Muriel (Toddy) Joseph 519-336-6323 or 519-312-2403

Ron Simon 519-331-7607
Marion Waters 519-312-5283
Wheelchair Accessible Van Driver:
 Contact the Health Centre at
 519-336-6770

CHECK OUT THIS HEALTH INFORMATION

Did you know:

Community Members:

Please remember that if you have a prescription for any kind of equipment; you should try to go to a registered provider to see if the items can be covered under Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB). If you are unsure if they are a registered provider, you can always ask them before ordering or paying for an item. Give the provider your status card number and they will check or send off forms to NIHB to see if the items are covered. In some cases, you may have to pay a fee if the item is not fully covered but you could be reimbursed. Some recognized providers are:

Shoppers Wellwise - Exmouth St., True North - Confederation St.,



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If you are unsure, you can give me a call at 519-332-6770, ext. 320. If I am unavailable, please leave a detailed message with your contact information.

Are you interested in becoming a Medical Driver?

Responsibilities:

- Transportation to and from medical appointments for on-reserve members.
- Maintaining accurate records of all trips.

Requirements:

- Must have a valid driver's license, clean driver's abstract, proof of insurance related to the 'carriage of passengers', provide recent police check and Safety Standards Certificate for your vehicle.
- Some financial assistance is available to help offset these additional expenses. To learn more, please contact Peggy Rogers at the Health Centre.
- Ability to maintain strict confidentiality

Please contact Peggy Rogers at the Health Centre (519) 332-6770. Miigwech!

Hospital information:



If you have an appointment at the Hospital or are admitted, don't forget to self-identify as First Nations and that they have your status card on file.

If you have needed to take an ambulance to the hospital and have received a bill from the hospital, contact the Patients Account Office at the hospital and submit your status card. The Patients Accounts Office will submit your bill to NIHB for payment. You also can contact me at 519-332-6770, ext. 320 if you need assistance.

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SOME MORE IMPORTANT HEALTH INFORMATION

Community Members:

Please remember that if you have paperwork or reimbursements, PLEASE include your contact details: name, phone number, or email address.

If you are expecting a payment or reimbursement, you may not have included your phone number or email for me to contact you. I do follow up phone calls/emails when I receive your paperwork. I can be reached at 519-332-6770, ext. 320, Peggy.

The deadline for submissions is Mondays, noon, miigwech!



SENIORS PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE

When a senior in Ontario turns 65, their medications are automatically covered by a program call the Ontario Drug Benefit Program. The program charges a deductible (Client pays for the first \$100 towards their medications every year starting on August 1) and a co-payment (up to \$6.11 per prescription)

If you have status, you do not have to pay the deductible or the co-payment. If you are charged a deductible or co-payment at the pharmacy, please provide them with your status card and those charges should be covered by the Non-Insured Health Benefits Program (Indigenous Services Canada). If you end up paying out of pocket, please contact Peggy at the Health Centre, 519-332-6770, ext. 320.

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How to get Help

Find the right time and place to talk. Be calm, caring, non-threatening. Listen. Talk about the concerns by using facts and accurate information. Encourage the person to see a doctor. Encourage the person to seek professional help.

Where to Get Help

Emergency 911

Kids Help Phone 1-800-668-6868

Distress Line 519-336-3000

LGBTQ Two Spirited Youth Line 1-800-268-9688 – OR –Text: 647-694-4275

Bluewater Health Addictions and Problem Gambling: 519-464-4400 ext. 5370

Withdrawal Management 519-332-4673

Women’s Interval Home 519-336-5200

Sarnia-Lambton Children’s Aid Society 519-336-0623

Westover Addiction Assistance 1-800-721-3232

Windsor Withdrawal Management (detox) 519-257-5225

Grand River Withdrawal Management (detox) 519-749-4318

**London Withdrawal Management (detox) 519-432-7241
Lambton Mental Health Crisis Line 519-336-3445**

Victim Services Support Line 1-888-281-3665 ext. 5238

Alcoholics Anonymous 519-337-5211

Drug & Alcohol Registry of Treatment 1-800-565-8603

Aamjiwnaang Mental Wellness 519-332-6770

Pregnancy Centre 519-383-7115

Sexual Assault Victims 519-337-3320

Problem Gambling 1-888 230-3505

**For more information or support please call :
519-332-6770**

Attention ODSP Clients

Pam Kelly will be returning for in person appointments

November 9th, 2022 from 9am—4pm

Continuing with every 2nd Wednesday of each month

****New location at the Community Centre****

If you need to contact Pam please call
519-337-3735 ext 2280



AAMJIWNAANG Mental Wellness

If you feel overwhelmed with stress and it is affecting you in a negative way, please reach out for help. We want to help you in any way we can.

CRISIS LINES

EMERGENCY 911

Southwest First Nations Crisis Response 1-866-289-0201

First Nations Hope for Wellness 1-855-242-3310

Child & Youth Crisis Line 1-833-622-1320

Kids Help Phone 1-800-668-6868

Text CONNECT to 686868

Sarnia Distress Line 519-336-3000

National Indian Residential School Crisis Line 1-866-925-4419

BUSINESS HOURS 519-332-6770

Tracey George ext. 317 cell: 226-349-5712

Max Cryderman ext. 327 Secondary School Mental Wellness

Ashley Maness ext. 324 Elementary School Mental Wellness

Gabby MacDonald ext. 325 School Mental Wellness

Roberta Bressette ext. 313 Community Wellness

Amy Vandersteen ext. 301 Administration & Family Wellbeing

Kayla Joseph ext. 328 Addictions & Diversion Youth

Michelle Waiters ext. 321 cell: 519-333-8787 Addictions & Diversion

Alphonse Aquash ext. 315 cell: 519-490-5956 Addictions & Diversion

Miigwech. Stay Safe.



Band Buildings Smoking Policy

Just a reminder that all Band buildings are Non-Smoking buildings. Smoking will not be permitted at any outdoor location within a radial distance of nine (9) meters from any doorway, entrance, or exit from any AFN building. AFN is a smoke-free workplace. No smoking or vaping is permitted on company premises by employees, contractors, or visitors at any time, except within any designated smoking areas. In accordance with the Non-smokers' Health Act, AFN will ensure that persons refrain from smoking in any workspace under the control of the employer. Non-smoking signs will be placed at all entrances identifying the policy.



Happy Birthday

To Tasha on October 31st!!!
Halloween wasn't scary enough until you showed up and made it a real day to remember. You are right, you're lucky there was a no pictures policy at certain holiday events. Have a great day!
Happy Birthday from all your Friends and Family :)



Attention Aamjiwnaang!!

Tickets are coming for the 2022-23 season for the **Sarnia Sting** and for the **Sarnia Legionnaires** hockey games.

There is a limit of 4 per household

Ticket will be available in the coming weeks at the Band Office
Keep your eyes and ears open for further information on the date tickets will be available for pickup.

TNT Auto Detailing & Upholstery
Call for free quote or to book appointment

**Auto Detailing
 Upholstery & Carpet Cleaning**

Greg Gray (Owner) - (226)-964-2227
 1909 Virgil Ave-Sarnia, Ontario

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 Sunday - 12 pm - 5 pm

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174 CHRISTINA ST. N
 SARNIA, ONTARIO

If you would like to submit artwork, drawings or anything at all for the Tribe-une, leave them at the Community Centre for the editor or email them to editor@aamjiwnaang.ca
 All submissions subject to editor approval.

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AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION

NOTICE TO BAND MEMBERS RE: DISTRIBUTION

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2022
8:45 – 12:00 PM to 1:00 – 4:45 PM

\$945.00/band member at
Maawn Doosh Gumig Community Centre, 1972 Virgil Ave

Eligible Members please note:

- To update or verify mailing addresses or direct deposit information, please contact the Finance department at (519) 336-8410 or email finance@aamjiwnaang.ca.
- Direct deposit is available for Canadian bank accounts only.
- **To ensure payment on December 2, all changes must be received by Thursday, November 10.**
- For Aamjiwnaang Band members with lawful custody of minor children, proper documentation must be provided; otherwise, money will be put in Trust.
- To authorize another person to pick up your cheque, please fill in the form below. The forms are also available at the Band Office.
- **US cheques will be available for in-person pickup. Any US cheques not picked up on December 2 will be mailed the following week.**
- Calculation for distribution is based on a percentage of last year's own source revenue, such as wind farms and pipelines, that was not committed to operating Band programs.

COVID-19 Measures

- Please stay home if you are actively sick
- If you or someone at home tested positive within the previous 10 days, please wear a mask

DISTRIBUTION AUTHORIZATON FORM 2022

I, _____, Band # _____ give
_____ authorization to pick up my distribution cheque on my behalf.

Signature

Date

****Please submit a copy of status card with this form****
Fax: 519-336-0382 or email: finance@aamjiwnaang.ca

Statement of Votes

Aamjiwnaang First Nation

Band #: 172

Poll: Friday, October 7, 2022

VOTES FOR COUNCILLOR			
ADAMS, John Q.	162	PLAIN, Marina D.	119
CROWLEY, Sherri	201	PLAIN, Pamela	
HENRY, Darren Lee	159	PLAIN, Shawn	138
JACKSON, Michael J.	112	RISING, Lance	35
JACOBS, Anthony	95	RISING, Lareina	106
MANESS, Charles Phillip (Charlie)	142	ROGERS, Joanne	242
MANESS, Thomas	133	SIMON, June	162
NAHMABIN, Janelle	188	SIMON, Ronald Codey	83
PLAIN, Carrie	68	SMITH-WHITE, Justin (CJ)	156
PLAIN, Harrison Jr. (William Harrison Aniniins)	96	WHITE, Robert Kyle	50

The number of seats available for a councillor position is nine (9).

Total number of rejected ballots for Councillor: 3

Elected Candidates

To the Office of Chief: PLAIN, Christopher - Acclaimed

To the Office of Councillor:

- Joanne Rogers**
- Sherri Crowley**
- Janelle Nahmabin**
- John Q. Adams**
- June Simon**
- Darren Lee Henry**
- Justin (CJ) Smith-White**
- Charles Phillip Maness (Charlie)**
- Shawn Plain**

This count was diligently conducted in accordance with the *Indian Band Election Regulations*.

Electoral Officer

Date



October 18, 2022

**AAMJIWNAANG
FIRST NATION
Band Council**

978 TASHMOO AVENUE
SARNIA, ONTARIO
N7T 7H5
Phone: 519-336-8410
Fax: 519-336-0382

ATTENTION:

AAMJIWNAANG

HOMEOWNERS/DUPLEX RESIDENTS

Aamjiwnaang Council has agreed to purchase one large plastic garbage tote for the individual homes and each of the duplex units located within Aamjiwnaang.

Apartment units will continue to utilize the current large bins located near the apartment complex units.

Beginning the week of October 24, 2022, each home and duplex unit within Aamjiwnaang will receive 1 (one) large plastic tote for use for your weekly household garbage.

If an on-reserve homeowner wishes to purchase an extra tote, the cost of the tote will be \$106.00 each. Arrangements can be made with the Public Works department at (519) 336-0510 for the extra totes.

The new garbage totes are limited to the on-reserve homes and duplex units currently serviced by Waste Connections.

When leaving the tote by the road on pick-up day, please leave the totes front facing the roadways for easier pick from a special truck designed to pick up the totes.

Containers and bags currently used will still be accepted. Blue box containers will remain the same that you currently utilize for the bi-weekly pick-up.

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**AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION****HOUSING DEPARTMENT**

978 Tashmoo Ave.

Sarnia, ON N7T 7H5

Telephone: 519-336-8410

Fax: 519-336-0382

www.aamjiwnaang.ca**ATTENTION AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION MEMBERS:**

The Aamjiwnaang First Nation Housing Department is now accepting **NEW APPLICATIONS** for a one (1) bedroom rental unit. Applications must be completed and have all requested information attached. Incomplete applications will **NOT** be accepted.

Band Rental Unit is located at **1204 #3 Tashmoo Ave.**, the rental rate for this one (1) – bedroom unit is \$400.00/month plus utilities (electricity, gas, and water).

This successful applicant will have to pay the first month's rent of \$400.00 plus meet the following conditions before moving in and receiving keys.

- The successful applicant will have to sign a rental agreement with the First Nation.
- The successful applicant must provide proof of content's insurance coverage.
- The successful applicant will have to have all utilities in their name before moving in.
- The successful applicant must have a move in inspection done before moving in.
- The successful applicant will have to supply their own appliances (fridge, stove, washer, and dryer).

Applications can be picked up at the Band Office, online at www.aamjiwnaang.ca or by email. Applications must be returned to the Housing Department no later than **October 28, 2022, by 4:00pm.**

***** IF YOU SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION PRIOR TO THIS POSTING YOU WILL HAVE TO RE-SUBMIT A NEW APPLICATION. NO EXCEPTIONS. *****



AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION CHIPPEWAS OF SARNIA

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title: Before and After School Program Leader

Location: Sarnia, ON

Duration: Contract (6 weeks)

Hours of Work: Monday – Friday

Posting Closes/Deadline: November 2nd, 2022

Tentative Interview Date(s): November 3rd & 4th, 2022

Summary:

The role of the Before and After School Care Program, Leader will function as a team member responsible for providing safe, quality care, and service to the students attending Aamjiwnaang Kinomaage Gamig school.

Responsibilities:

- Provide supervision, activities, and guidance appropriate to child's age and development
- Must be able to develop a positive rapport with young children
- Be creative in planning and facilitating activities that promote healthy eating and nutrition, physical, social, and emotional development
- Be self motivating and enthusiastic in carrying out the duties
- Create an atmosphere of safety, belonging, positive development, and wellness for each child
- Provide positive role-modeling for children and volunteers
- To work with other members of the staff as a team
- To make sure staff and children leave the location clean and tidy each day
- To ensure all children are signing in and out by an authorized parent or nominated person
- Use purchase orders to purchase supplies and snacks
- Greet school buses as required
- Maintain confidentiality

Requirements:

- Experience in providing care to school age children
- Excellent communication and problem-solving skills
- High level of appreciation of First Nation culture
- Must provide a clear police check with vulnerable sector
- Must be reliable and punctual

Other Considerations:

Preference may be given to Indigenous candidates with relevant on reserve employment and / or those with knowledge and understanding of Aamjiwnaang and history and community.

Application Process:

If you are interested in this opportunity, kindly forward your resume and cover letter via mail or email or fax or in person to (for a copy of the complete job description please email request):

Aamjiwnaang First Nation
978 Tashmoo Avenue
Sarnia, ON N7T 7H5
Attention: Ashley Fisher
Human Resources Officer

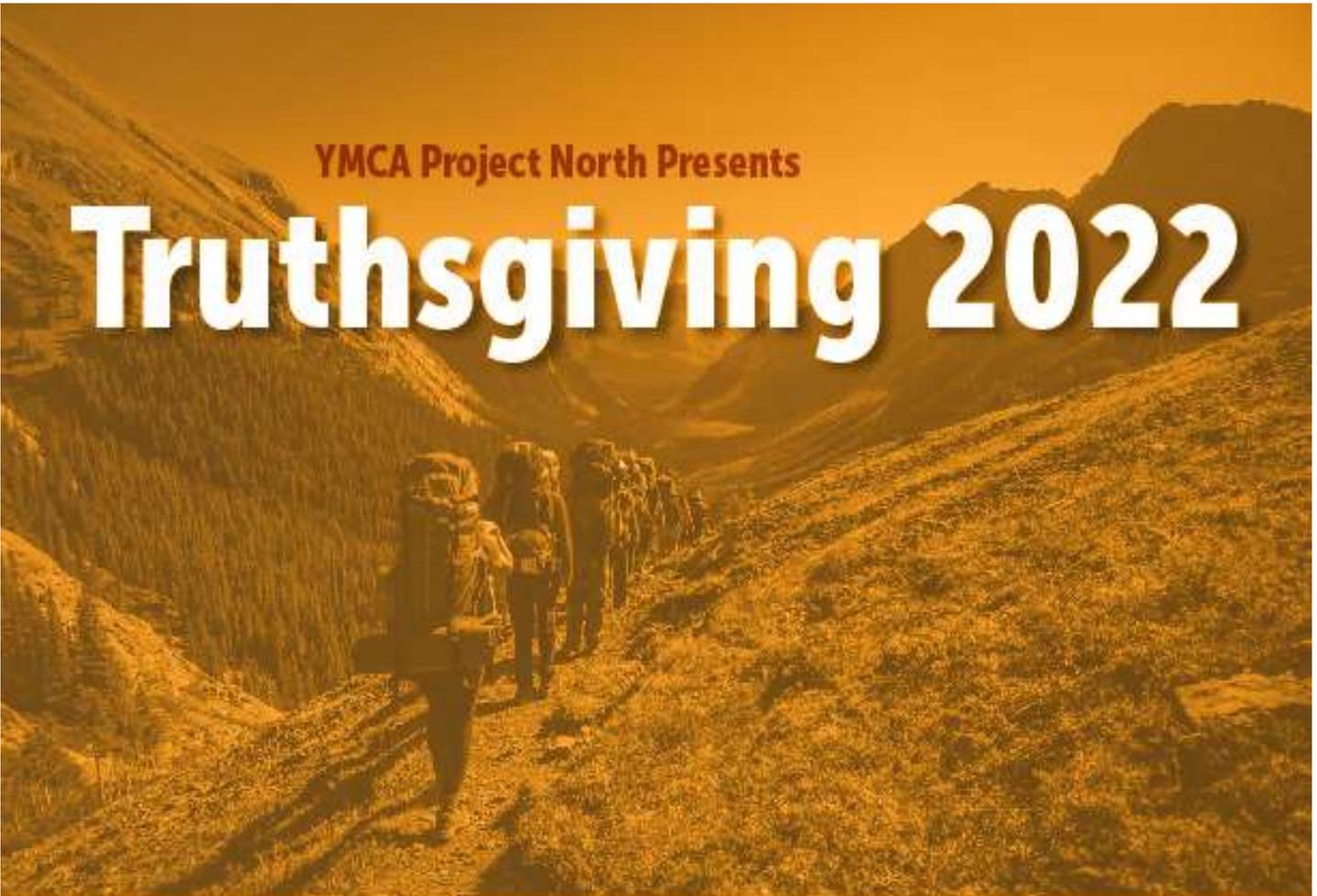
Or

humanresource@aamjiwnaang.ca

Or

519-336-0382 fax

For more information, check us out online at www.aamjiwnaang.ca



YMCA Project North Presents

Truthsgiving 2022

Join us!

November 25th, 2022

2:30 pm - 7:30 pm

**Aamjiwnaang Maawn Doosh Gumig
Community and Youth Centre**

**Truthspeakers
Local Artists
Food Trucks
Giveaways
and more...**

Coined by Indigenous activist Sikowis, aka Christine Nobiss, "Truthsgiving" is a recognition of Indigenous resistance, the unlearning of false beliefs around the history of Thanksgiving, and the dismantling of colonial-Imperialist systems that continue to oppress and dispossess Indigenous communities.





Indigenous Teacher Education Program Lambton-Kent Community-Based Site

Program Features

Graduates of this program will graduate with a Bachelor of Education degree with a focus in the Primary-Junior divisions (K-6). The Indigenous Teacher Education Program (ITEP) is a community-based professional program that provides candidates with an opportunity to specialize in Indigenous Education with many courses being taught by Indigenous professors. ITEP fosters excellence and pride in Indigenous Education by empowering candidates to excel in their individual growth as teachers, learners, partners, and role models.

Program Length

2.5 years – Full-time and intensive delivery

Career Paths

Graduates will be prepared to teach in First Nations and Provincial schools and will have the skills and knowledge to be effective in meeting the current and future educational needs of their communities.

Practicum

Candidates will be placed on 18 weeks of experiential-based practicum throughout their 2.5 years in the program in a First Nations and/or Provincial school(s).

Candidates will also complete a unique 90-hour Alternative Practicum which offers the opportunity to participate in cultural-based activities such as ceremonies, language learning, land-based education, and more.

Admission

- Grade 12 diploma (only self-identified Indigenous applicants may apply with a Grade 12 diploma)
- Undergraduate degree
- Application form
- Transcripts, statement of Indigenous experience, and a resume
- Two letters of support from Indigenous community members
- A background in Indigenous education

APPLICATION DEADLINE: DECEMBER 1, 2022

Transitional Certificate of Qualification and Registration

Provides the opportunity for eligible candidates who are already teaching in a school setting to qualify for the Ontario College of Teachers (OCT) Transitional Certificate of Qualification and Registration which allows them to complete practicum requirements while continuing to work in their teaching positions.

Find out more at our Webinar on Oct 19th at 6 pm

<https://www.queensu.ca/itep-community/2022/10/19/itep-community-webinar-2022-10-19-6pm>

Follow the link to register



Indigenous Teacher Education Program Community-Based

Summer 2023	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one weekend in May at community-based site • two weekends in June at community-based site • three and a half weeks in July at Queen's in Kingston
	Practicum	Three weeks
Fall 2023	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One weekend in September at community-based site • One weekend in October at community-based site • One weekend in November at community-based site • One weekend in December at community-based site
	Practicum	Three weeks
Winter 2024	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One weekend in January at community-based site • One weekend in February at community-based site • One weekend in March at community-based site • One weekend in April at community-based site
	Practicum	Four weeks
Summer 2024	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one weekend in June at community-based site • 3.5 weeks in July at community-based site
	Practicum	Four weeks
Fall 2024	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One weekend in September at community-based site • One weekend in October at community-based site • One weekend in November at community-based site • One weekend in December at community-based site
	Practicum	Four weeks
Winter 2025	In-person learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One weekend in January • One weekend in February • One weekend in March • One weekend in April
	Practicum	None



GET YOUR
COVID-19
VACCINE
BOOSTER



QUESTIONS? VACCINE CALL CENTRE

226-254-8222



**Primary Series
(1st and 2nd dose):**

must be 6 months or older at the time of appointment. 8 weeks interval between 1st and 2nd doses.

**Fall Booster
(ages 5-17 years):**

recommended interval of 6 months since the last dose or previous COVID-19 infection.

**Fall Booster
(ages 18+ or 12-17 yrs who
are immunocompromised):**

recommended interval of 6 months since last dose or previous COVID-19 infection.



**Moderna Fall COVID
booster doses (bivalent)
are now available!**

Where to get vaccinated

1. Register online through Lambton Public Health at www.getthevaccine.ca.
2. Visit a local participating pharmacy.
3. Contact your local primary care provider.

Note: Currently, only Moderna SpikeVax is approved for use as a fall bivalent booster

Aamjiwnaang's Halloween

TRUNK or TREAT

Monday, October 31st

Starting at 5 pm

Community Centre

**PHOTO BOOTH set up
for Family Pictures**

Contest for Best Decorated Trunk

1st ~ \$100, 2nd ~ \$75, and 3rd ~ \$50



**AAMJIWNAANG EARLY LEARNING CENTRE
HALLOWEEN PARADE**

MONDAY OCTOBER 31ST 10AM
COMMUNITY STAFF, RESIDENTS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

Come out and support as our little ghouls and goblins as they take part in a Halloween Parade!

Parade route: Begins out front of the Early Years Centre and travels North on Virgil and around Chippewa Crescent as we make our way back to school.



As always, we are a PEANUT FREE facility.



Please drop off your treats to the ABKM Reception and all treats will be distributed to each child following the parade.

THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN IS 69!

Questions? Contact 519-344-4132



Trick or Treating this year at the Seniors Complex

Just wanted to remind all the little ghosts and goblins out this year that the seniors in apartment complex want to see your costumes too!! There will be residents in the lobby at the seniors complex with treats to hand out. Be sure to stop by!!

Aamjiwnaang Seniors 55+

Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

Flu Vaccines
(are now available!)



Call the Health Centre at (519) 332-6770 to book your appointment.



REVISION ENTERTAINMENT PRESENTS

Brass Transit

THE MUSICAL LEGACY OF CHICAGO



NOVEMBER 10 • 8 PM

IMPERIAL THEATRE

168 N. Christina St. Sarnia, Ontario N7T 2H8 | 519-344-SHOW (7469) | www.imperialtheatre.net

I have a set of 15 tickets

Please contact Becky 519-332-6770 ext 312

Draw date will be FACEBOOK Live

Monday November 7th, 2022

Thank you

October 21 is National Early Childhood Educator Appreciation Day and here at ABKM we are celebrating the best of the best!





Aamjiwnaang Post-Secondary Update



SUMMER 2022 GRADES DUE

This is a reminder that Summer 2022 Grades are due. Summer 2022 Grades are DUE 21 days after the completion of your term. They can be uploaded to Outcomes in the "Documents" tab. Grades are needed at the end of each term and must be received to complete any future applications.



2022-2023 Graduates

If you are a graduate or will be a graduate for the 2022-2023 year, please upload a copy of your certificate, diploma, or degree to the "Documents" tab and email post-secondary@aamjiwnaang.ca to let us know it has been uploaded. The SFNS Post-Secondary team wishes you congratulations on your graduation and good luck with your new journey!

Midterm Announcement Due Mid November

Please be sure to upload any Midterm marks or Progress Reports into your Student Outcome Portal on Dadavan. Once uploaded name the document accordingly, for example Midterms2022. Email post-secondary@aamjiwnaang.ca to let us know you have submitted documentation.

IMPORTANT: When uploading documentation please be sure your name and student number is on the document. Thank you 😊

Post Secondary Counsellor on Medical Leave

Laura Spero will be on medical leave until Jan 3, 2023. Please continue to email post-secondary@aamjiwnaang.ca with any questions or concerns and someone will respond to your email. If you have not joined the Aamjiwnaang Post-Secondary Facebook page, we strongly suggest you do as all announcements, deadlines, bursary opportunities are posted on a regular basis.



Application Process

With our newly implemented application system, students are required to apply for every requested term of funding through the Outcomes Student Information System.

For **new applicants**, click this link to apply:

<https://afn.dadavan.com/student/pseapplication.jsp>

For **returning students**, use the link above, click on "Student Page Login", and enter the email used with the initial application to sign in or request a password which is sent to the email.

Application Deadlines:

Fall - May 1
 Winter - October 1
 Spring/Summer - March 1

Unfortunately, the system does not send a submission confirmation email, but a box does pop up when the application is submitted confirming "application submitted." If, you have any questions, please contact Aamjiwnaang Post-Secondary to confirm receipt of your application.

Application Approvals

The application review and approval process typically take 30 days from the application deadlines. Students will receive an email correspondence with an update on their application. If accepted into the program, they will receive a "Conditional Letter of Acceptance" which outlines required documentation submission.

Required Documentation

These are the required documents that students need to upload to the Outcomes Student Information System under "Documents."

- Acceptance letter/verification of enrolment/tuition statement
- High school diploma or transcript
- Direct deposit form/void cheque
- Release of Information form
- Student Contract form

- Career Action Plan
- Previous term final grades (for returning students)

What happens next?

Once all required documentation has been received, a sponsorship letter will be sent to the Post-Secondary institution which covers the non-refundable fee and tuition fees. The institutions will invoice the tuition fees to the Post-Secondary Department and Aamjiwnaang First Nation will directly pay the schools.

Students who are staying in residence must also submit residence acceptance and a sponsorship letter will be sent to the institution. The student will need to speak with Aamjiwnaang Post-Secondary to discuss sponsorship for residence fees. The agreed upon amount to be paid for residence fees are invoiced to the Post-Secondary Department and will be paid directly to the school. Residence costs over the set amount will be the responsibility of the student.

A final letter outlining details of student funding will be sent to students via email. (Eligibility Letter)

Students should expect deposits on the second last business day of the month. Please submit any banking changes at least 10 days prior to the next deposit date.

Book receipts can be mailed to:
Aamjiwnaang First Nation
Attn: Post Secondary Department
978 Tashmoo Ave
Samia ON N7T 7H5

Electronic receipts can be forwarded to:

post-secondary@aamjiwnaang.ca



The Land Use Plan for Aamjiwnaang will guide the future development of our lands. This is your opportunity to:

- **Review** the land use plan with us.
- **Confirm** if the Land Use Plan reflects your vision.
- Let us know whether there are areas for improvement.



Image: Draft land uses to be discussed.

In-Person Community Events to Review the Land Use Plan



We invite you to join us to review the draft Land Use Plan.



Date: October 20, 2022

Location: Banquet Room

The Town Hall will provide a presentation and a **high-level discussion** on the Land Use Plan.



Event: Town Hall, Noon – 1:30 PM

Presentation and General Discussion

Unable to join in-person, visit the [Aamjiwnaang Land Use Plan Facebook](#) page to listen in and to submit your comments and questions.

We invite you to join one of our workshops, for more **in-depth discussion** on the Land Use Plan



Event: Land Use Workshop #1, 2:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Presentation and Discussion Groups

Unable to join at one of the specified times? No problem, the doors are open!

Dinner to be provided at 5:00 PM



Event: Land Use Workshop #2, 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Presentation and Discussion Groups

If you are not able to join, please feel free to reach out to **Danielle Nahdee**, Lands Clerk.

dnahdee@aamjiwnaang.ca
(519) 336-8410 Ext. 290





Environment News

The Environment Department, in collaboration with the Toronto Metropolitan University is pleased to present the opportunity for approximately 10 AFN members to have a passive, non invasive, air sensor stationed at their home or business. You must be located on AFN Reserve Lands to participate. The sensor is collecting PM 2.5 and PM 10 and the data is automatically uploaded to a website.

The sensor (pictured below) needs to be south facing and can be attached most flat surfaces. It will not harm your siding, window etc. and uses Velcro to attach. Our goal is to have them installed in the month of October and early November.

Please contact our office or email Lynn Rosales (lrosales@aamjiwnaang.ca) if you are interested. If more than 10 people are interested, we will do a random draw.





Circle of Security

Early intervention program for parents

ALL PARENTS WONDER IF THEY'RE GETTING IT RIGHT

You're not alone!

Sometimes it's hard to tell what your child needs

What their behaviours mean and how to respond

Imagine what it might feel like if you could make sense of what your child is really asking from you!

Circle of Security Parenting is an opportunity to join other caregivers just like you. During the 8 - week classes you will learn:

- How to understand your child's emotional world by learning to read the emotional needs
- Support your child's ability to successfully manage emotions
- Enhance the development of your child's self esteem
- Honor your innate wisdom and desire for your child to be secure

Where: Community Centre
 When: Tuesday 10am - 12noon
 November 1 - December 20, 2022
 Child Care provide

Registration required:
rsimon@aamjiwnaang.ca
 or text/call 519.918.1204





NAAW 2022

2022 National Addictions Awareness Week

Recognizing Positive Change

This year instead of nominating people for an award, we'd like to recognize those who have made positive changes in their lifestyle. The recognition will continue to adhere to the following parameters:

"Bertha Adams Recognition for Living the Good Life"

To be eligible one must live a healthy lifestyle, experience a life altering change of overcoming addiction. Must be the age of 26 or older.

"Peggy Bird Recognition of Youth Living the Good Life"

To be eligible one must be aged 13—25, abstain from substances, exhibit excellent attendance at school or have graduated, and must live in the community.

"Robin Maness Recognition for Education in Recovery "

Recognition for Education in Recovery. This recognition is for anyone who has recovered from substance use or addiction and has gone back to school or continued their education. Must be enrolled in or graduated from an education program. Education includes school, adult learning, college, university, apprenticeship or trade school.

To recommend someone for the recognition awards please submit a brief note about their positive changes. You can email the submission, send it in messenger, text it, or drop it off with reception, or in our mail slot (front door). The deadline to submit is November 4th, 2022.

tgeorge@aamjiwnaang.ca 519-332-6770 ext. 317

We will be "Recognizing the Positive Change" ceremony during NAAW.



LBS LUNCH N' LEARN

ADULT EDUCATION Program

NOV 2, 9, 16, 23	Resource Centre 978 Tashmoo Avenue Blue Building
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Register for a session to learn more about our program!

E: lbs@aamjiwnaang.ca
P: 519 336 8410 ext. 285





Aamjiwnaang Health Centre/West
Lambton Health Centre



'MAKE N TAKE'
COOKING CLASS



MONDAY, OCT. 24/22 – 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM
HEALTH CENTRE

*This cooking class is for Aamjiwnaang community members who would like to learn how to prepare healthy new recipes.

*Space is limited to 10 people. Call Natalie to sign up at (519) 332-6770, ext. 326



Presented by:



Employment Readiness Workshop



There are 4 in-person sessions to attend at the Maawn Doosh Gumig - Banquet Room

Workshops run from 10am-12pm

- 1) October 4: Resume and Cover Letters
- 2) October 18: Job Search and Interview Skills
- 3) October 25: Budgeting and Financial Literacy
- 4) November 1: Organization and Time Management Skills

Attend all 4 sessions to be entered into a draw! **Light refreshments will be served**

REGISTER NOW! lbs@aamjiwnaang.ca
519-336-8410 ext. 285




Aamjiwnaang Health Centre



FALL COMMUNITY GIVEAWAY
Community Centre Gym

FRIDAY, OCT. 21/22 10 AM - 7 PM
SATURDAY, OCT. 22/22 - 9AM TO 3 PM



Bring in your fall/winter gear that is no longer needed, as well as warm clothes/shoes/boots for the cool weather. Small household items, books, etc. are welcome too! Items can be brought in and set up on tables anytime during the giveaway hours.

Natalie Nahmabin, Health Promotion Worker, (519) 332-6770, ext. 326.




REST & RESET

Caregivers Rejuvenation Retreat

NOVEMBER 5, 2022

9AM - 3PM

COMMUNITY
CENTRE

You are not alone
Spend the day connecting,
learning, and resetting with
other caregivers

We will end our day with
healing cedar foot soaks

Limited spots. Registration required:
rsimone@aamjiwnaang.ca



Speech & OT In The FALL

FOR JK/SK AGED CHILDREN

Drop-In to participate in our fall scavenger hunt and practice Speech, Language and Occupational Therapy Skills!

Parents must be present for their children to participate in this event.

Registration is not required, drop-in to participate within the hours listed below.

FRIDAY,

November 18, 2022

10am - 12pm

AAMJIWNAANG MAAWN
DOOSH GUMIG - PAVILLION

Email mlefaive@aamjiwnaang.ca for more information.

HEADLICE

SCREENINGS

& TREATMENT



Schedule an appointment for a headlice screen and treatment



Headlice Screening



Virtual Appointment with Physician



Prescription for treatment*

At the physician's discretion

Walk-in's welcome. Preferred to call ahead of time for availability.

Call nurse Mikeesha at 519-332-6770 ext. 309 for details

Children's Grief Circle

For children ages 10-13 who've experienced the death of a loved one within the last 2 years

Every Tuesday for 5 Weeks

Starting Oct 25th – Nov 22nd 4:00– 5:30pm

At the Health Center

For more information contact Gabby

519-332-6770 Ext 327

Background Photo Credit: Melissa Jackson,

Aamjiwnaang First Nation





THE AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE PRESENTS

Liz Akiwenzie

Knowledge Keeper

One on One Sessions

Liz has a social service education background with cultural awareness. Liz has worked for over thirty years with Traditional Healing Services at the community, organization, and personal levels. Her work experiences include many avenues including Correction Services Canada, Parole and Probation, Addictions and Abuse Counselling, & coordination of Traditional Services.

DATE: **OCTOBER 28TH, 2022**

TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT PLEASE CALL DOROTHY OR KIM AT RECEPTION AT 519-332-6770.



Last Date:
October 25



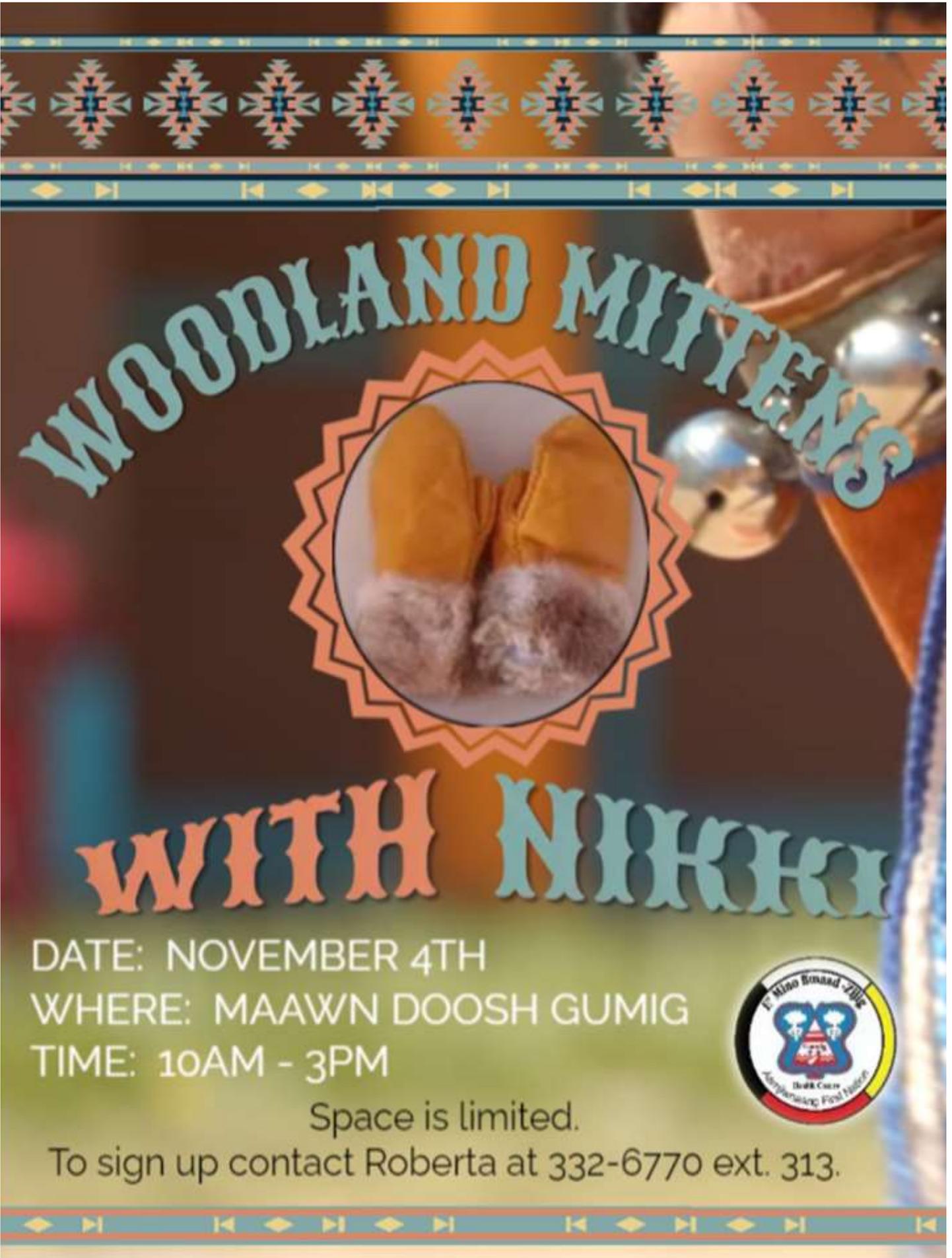
AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE PRESENTS:

TUESDAYS WITH PAM PLAIN

A 6 WEEK SERIES RELATING TO THE GRIEF CYCLE

HEALTH CENTRE
1:30 - 3:30 PM
STARTING SEPT 20TH

519-332-6770 EXT:313



WOODLAND MITTENS



WITH NIKKOR

DATE: NOVEMBER 4TH
WHERE: MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG
TIME: 10AM - 3PM

Space is limited.
To sign up contact Roberta at 332-6770 ext. 313.



RIBBON SKIRT INSPIRED WREATH
WITH
SAMANTHA DOXATOR

WHERE: MAAWN DOOSH GUMIG
WHEN: NOVEMBER 15TH
TIME: 10AM

Sponsored by:
Community Health & Wellness
Seniors Program
and Health Promotion

Space is limited.
To sign up please call Roberta @ 519-332-6770 ext. 313.
If necessary a draw will take place November 10th.

AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE/WEST LAMBTON HEALTH CENTRE

ADULT (18+) Wii Fun & Games Drop In
****NOTE: Day and time change!****



Come out and play some bowling, golf, balance exercises, skiing, yoga, soccer, so much to choose from!

Contact Natalie at (519) 332-6770, ext. 326 for further info.

Wednesday,
Oct. 26/22
Wed. Nov. 9/22

10 am –
Noon

Comm.
Centre





Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

DRIVE THRU COMMUNITY PRODUCE GIVEAWAY



Thursday, November 17/22
9:30 am at the Comm. Centre Gym door.



Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP



Monday, Nov. 21, 2022
- 10 am til noon.

This is an open support group (Aamjiwnaang community members) that is led by a dietitian (West Lambton Health Centre) and Health Centre staff.

*Rides provided if needed. Call Natalie at (519) 332-6770, 326, ext. 326.




WOMEN'S MONTHLY COOKING CLASS

Aamjiwnaang Health Centre

TUESDAY, NOV. 8/22 | 12:00 PM

HEALTH CENTRE

COME OUT AND TRY DELICIOUS RECIPES WHILE LEARNING ABOUT WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR HEALTH!

CALL NATALIE AT (519) 332-6770, EXT. 326 TO SIGN UP.



AAMJIWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE & WEST LAMBTON HEALTH CENTRE

MEN'S COOKING CLASS

Tuesday, Nov. 15/22 - NOON

HEALTH CENTRE

COME ON OUT AND TRY DELICIOUS RECIPES WHILE LEARNING ABOUT WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR HEALTH.

TO SIGN UP, CALL NATALIE AT (519) 332-6770, EXT. 326
RIDES PROVIDED IF NEEDED.

AAMIJWNAANG HEALTH CENTRE



MOORETOWN SPORTS COMPLEX SWIM PASSES

Available at the Health Centre for: Seniors Classes, Family swim passes & Single passes
Swim schedules are also available.

Call the Health Centre at (519) 332-6770, ext. 326, Natalie Nahmabin, Health Promotion Worker,
Or Roberta Bressette, Community Wellness Worker, ext. 313, before pick up.



Senior Coffee Time DROP-IN



Senior Coffee Time will be

October 4 & 18th, 2022

Located at the Senior Complex from 1 to 3pm

GAME NIGHT UPDATE

Games Nights will be

October 11 & 25th, 2022

Located at Senior's Building

From 6 to 8pm



Senior Updates

Seniors Thanksgiving Lunch & Bingo October 5th, 2022

Regular Congregate Dining October 12, 19, 26th, 2022

Reapers Realm October 8th, 2022

Senior Halloween Craft October 13, 2022

Senior Massages can be booked with Becky Adams (booking into November)

Senior & Youth Korny Korners October 15th, 2022

Please keep an eye on Flyers
Wishing you a wonderful Thanksgiving

&
Happy Halloween



JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE

Do you know a First Nations child aged 0-18 who has a disability or medical condition whose needs are not being met, either on or off reserve?

Jordan's Principle may provide assistance with Mental Health, Medical Equipment, Speech Therapy and so much more.

Start the process by contacting the dedicated Jordan's Principle Call Centre and Help Line:

Jordan's Principle Call Centre
English: 1-855-JP-CHILD
(1-855-572-4453)
French: 1-833-PJ-ENFAN
(1-833-753-6326)
Email: InfoPubs@aadnc-aandc-gc.ca

Christian Hebert
Jordan's Principle Navigator
Anishinabek Nation
Phone: 705-497-9127, ext. 2206
Email: christian.hebert@anishinabek.ca

Marina Plain
Jordan's Principle Navigator
Anishinabek Nation
Phone: 519-328-0942
Email: marina.plain@anishinabek.ca





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Traditional Healer Massage Therapist

Joanne Dixon

Senior's ONLY 55+

To schedule an appointment please call
Becky Adams at 332-6770 Ext. 312

Aromatherapy Massage - Reiki Degree
1, 2, 3 - Certified Hot Stone Therapy - Therapeutic
Touch Levels I, II, III - Prenatal Massage

Aamjiwnaang Health Centre
1300 Tashmoo Ave



Dago Maajiigoog Binoojiinyag

Binaakwi Giizis– Falling leaves moon

Oct 2022



Sunday - Name Giizhigad	Monday - Shkintam Giizhigad	Tuesday -Niizho Giizhigad	Wednesday - Nswi Giizhigad	Thursday - Niiwo Giizhigad	Friday - Naano Giizhigad	Saturday - Ngodwaaswi Giizhigad
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2	3 Thanksgiving Craft 10am-12pm Fitness Fun 6pm online	4 Corn on the cob painting 1pm-3pm	5 Thanksgiving Dinner Grandparents 5pm Sign up Required	6 Gentle Parenting 10am-12pm	7	8
	10 Happy Thanksgiving Closed	11 Thumbprint Haunted house 1pm-3pm	12 Baby Check in 1pm Cook out at the sugar bush 5pm	13 Painting with John 9:30am sharp Sign up required Limited to 12	14 Staff in Training	15 Staff in Training
16	17 Pumpkin Monsters 10am-12pm Story & Craft 6pm online	18 Korny Komers Farm 10am	19 Handprint spiders Foot Print Ghost 5pm	20 DIY Pumpkin kits 11am-1pm Sign up required Limited to 15	21	22
	24 Drive by Halloween trick or treating 5pm-7pm	25 Boo Sign 1pm-3pm	26 Paper plate spiders 5pm	27 Beaded Poppies 10am-12pm	28	29 
30	31 No Program Happy Halloween					

We Also have transportation for programming! Please Contact Paula 226-349-2427

 October 2022				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 No Program	4 Sports Night Baseball	5 Regular Program	6 Board Game Night	7 No Program
10 Thanksgiving Day	11 Sports Night Frisbee Golf	12 SafeTalk (4-7 PM)	13 Craft Night	14 No Program
17 No Program	18 Sports Night Volleyball	19 Youth Cooking	20 No Program	21 Reapers Realm
24 No Program	25 Sports Night Basketball	26 Bingo	27 Learning How to Budget	28 No Program
31 Halloween				



AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES

Occupational Therapy Parent Night FINE MOTOR SKILLS

Join us on October 27, 2022 | 6-8 p.m.
Aamjiwnaang Community Center.

Parent information night: Fine Motor Skills in Children. Such as printing, cutting and dressing.

Parents and their children (ages 4-8 years old) are welcome to join us for a parent information night at the Community Centre.

- Children will be watched throughout the presentation.
- Following the presentation parents and their children will take part in a pumpkin carving activity.

Dinner and childcare will be provided.

Registration is required.
Sign up by emailing
apettit@aamjiwnaang.ca
by October 19, 2022
(Limited space available)



Open to Aamjiwnaang Community Members



AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES

Occupational Therapy Bingo

On select days throughout the month of October your child will have the opportunity to complete a task to fill a Bingo Card. These task will encourage children to practice their Occupational Therapy Skills.

(Occupational Therapy is defined as helping/promoting children with independence in activities of everyday life – or 'occupations').

Once your child has completed a full card their name will be entered into a draw to win a **prize**.

Please email apettit@aamjiwnaang.ca to register your child, provide their name and age. There are 2 targeted age groups for this activity.



AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY BINGO

2-5 YEARS

LACE BEADS ONTO
A STRING



SING THE ABC'S



COMPLETE A
COLOURING PAGE



STACK 5 BLOCKS



PICK OUT MY CLOTHES
FOR SCHOOL



TRACE THE
HORIZONTAL LINE



HELP PUT ON
YOUR SOCKS



CUT 3 SNIPS OF PAPER



COMPLETE A PUZZLE



FOLLOW THE AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES FACEBOOK
PAGE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS ACTIVITY.



AAMJIWNAANG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY BINGO

6+ YEARS

BRUSH YOUR TEETH



DRAW A PERSON



COMPLETE A
COLOURING PAGE



DO A CRAB WALK



MAKE A SIMPLE SNACK



WRITE YOUR NAME



CUT OUT A PICTURE



HELP TIE YOUR SHOES



COMPLETE A PUZZLE



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PAGE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS ACTIVITY.



We're Open

DO YOU NEED HELP WITH ENGLISH, MATH OR COMPUTER SKILLS?

DO YOU WANT TO WORK ON YOUR JOB READINESS SKILLS?

COME SEE US AT THE ADULT LEARNING PROGRAM!

Classroom Hours:
 Tuesday/Thursday 9:30-2:30
 Wednesday 9:30-11:30

Call us: 519-336-8410 ext. 285
 Email us: lbs@aamjiwnaang.ca



We are open
 Monday to Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm
 Resource Centre 978 Tashmoo Avenue, Sarnia



The Lighthouse Ministry



Welcoming you to join us for

Sunday Services

At 2pm *Matthew 4:1 NKJV*

978 Tashmoo Ave
 Potluck dinner following service

With Pastor Crystal Dowling



THE LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY

Wednesday Service @ 6pm

With Pastor Crystal Dowling

Jesus said in Matthew 18:20 "For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them." NKJV

978 Tashmoo Ave Light Snack & Refreshments



Aamjiwnaang 

SPAY/NEUTER CLINIC

November 18th & 19th
 Maawn Doosh Gumig
 1972 Virgil Ave.



Spay/ Neuter Cost
 Cats - \$100
 Dogs - \$250
 Includes: Spay/Neuter, Wellness check, Vaccinations

To schedule an appointment please call Roberta Brassette at 519-332-6770 ext. 313.

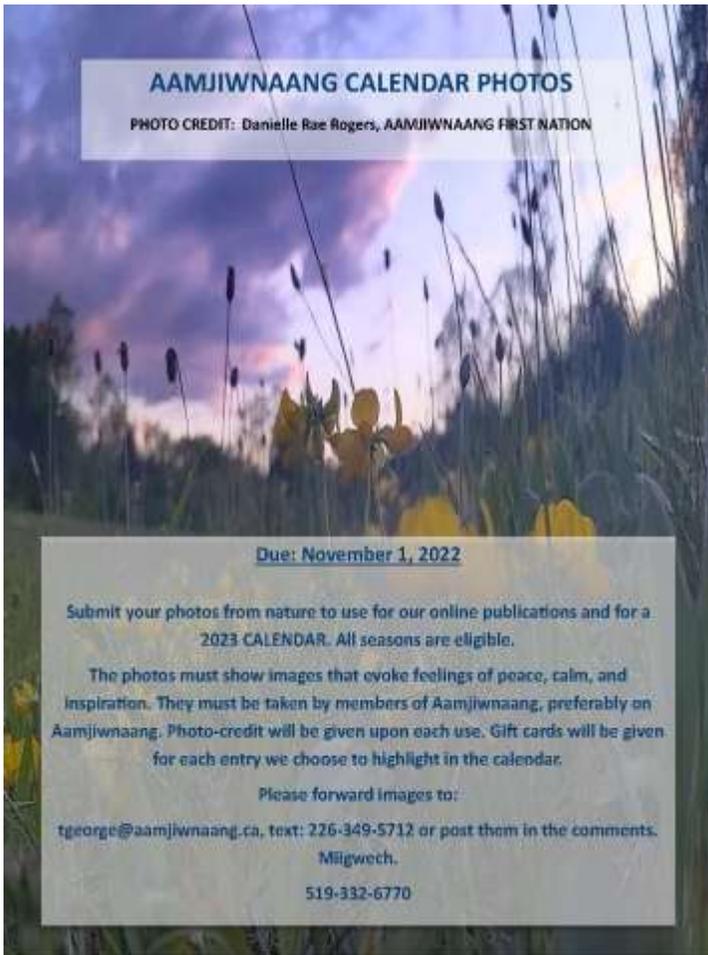
PAYMENT WILL BE DUE AT THE TIME OF BOOKING.

Open to Aamjiwnaang Band Members & Residence of AFN

MOORETOWN FLAGS EST. 1991

Congratulations to newly signed Defencemen Cyrus Sloopole and returning Defencemen Levi Plais on securing their positions for the 2022-2023 season. Let's show our support for these proud Aamjiwnaang community members with our attendance in the stands! September/October schedule:

Date	Away	Home	Location	Time
Wed Sept 28	Mooretown	Wheatley	Wheatley Arena	7:30pm
Sat Oct 1	Lakeshore	Mooretown	Walpole Island Complex	7:30pm
Tues Oct 4	Mooretown	Essex	Essex Centre Complex	7:00pm
Sat Oct 15	Wheatley	Mooretown	Walpole Island Complex	7:30pm
Sat Oct 22	Dresden	Mooretown	Walpole Island Complex	7:30pm
Sun Oct 23	Mooretown	Blenheim	Blenheim Memorial Arena	7:00pm
Wed Oct 26	Mooretown	Wheatley	Wheatley Arena	7:30pm
Sat Oct 29	Wallaceburg	Mooretown	Walpole Island Complex	7:30pm



AAMJIWNAANG CALENDAR PHOTOS

PHOTO CREDIT: Danielle Rae Rogers, AAMJIWNAANG FIRST NATION

Due: November 1, 2022

Submit your photos from nature to use for our online publications and for a 2023 CALENDAR. All seasons are eligible.

The photos must show images that evoke feelings of peace, calm, and inspiration. They must be taken by members of Aamjiwnaang, preferably on Aamjiwnaang. Photo-credit will be given upon each use. Gift cards will be given for each entry we choose to highlight in the calendar.

Please forward images to:
tgeorge@aamjiwnaang.ca, text: 226-349-5712 or post them in the comments.
Migwech.
519-332-6770

Aamjiwnaang Housing Department

Spring home maintenance & tips

- Check furnace and air exchanger filters. Clean or replace filters when they are dirty.
- Test the smoke detector and replace the battery.
- Check the fire extinguisher pressure gauge. Get extinguisher re-charged if needed.
- Inspect the basement for signs of water leakage.
- Check the siding and outside of your home for winter damage.
- Clean any debris from the eaves trough and downspouts. Reattach any sections that are loose.
- Inspect the grade and landscaping for property damage.
- Inspect windows and doors for operation and screens for needed repairs.
- Inspect foundation walls for cracks and leaks.
- Check furnace and air exchanger filters. Clean or replace filters when they are dirty.
- Check the chimney for and wood-burning appliance at the end of the heating season.



Contents Insurance Reminder

It is the responsibility of the tenant to provide contents insurance for their unit. The Housing Department is not responsible for sewer damage, sewer backup, or flooding.

As per the Housing Policy and your signed housing agreement, each tenant is to provide a copy of their contents insurance policy to the housing department.

Contact an insurance broker for more information.

Housing Staff

Tracy Williams - Housing Coordinator
978 Tashmoo Ave.
Sarnia, ON N7T 7E5
Phone: 519-336-6410 ext. 237
twilliams@aamjiwnaang.ca

Sidra Yellowman - Youth Housing Assistant
Phone: 519-336-6410 ext. 138
syellowman@aamjiwnaang.ca

Garnet Williams - Housing Maintenance
ggwilliams@aamjiwnaang.ca

NOTE: Inspections are available every Monday. Call to book an appointment.

Housing Committee

Jane Simon - Chairperson, Councillor
Lareina Rising - Councillor
Ashley Jackson - Committee Member
Frieda Stewart - Committee Member
Randi Rogers - Committee Member
Rachael Simon - Youth Council Member

Federal Indian Day School Class Action

Extension Request Form Now Available

Deadline: January 13, 2023 @ 11:59 pm (PST)

If you need help:

- Understanding the claims process
- Filling out an application
- Putting together your narrative
- Support during the process

Contact: Miryan Rutledge

Phone: 437-243-6092

Email: fidsprojectlead@councilfire.ca

Toronto Council Fire areas of coverage: Barrie, Owen Sound, Windsor, Sarnia, Chatham, London, Hamilton, Brantford, St. Catharines, Fort Erie, Peterborough, Tyendinaga, Ottawa, Akwesasne

To Access the Deadline Extension Request Form Visit:

indiandayschools.com/en/wp-content/uploads/IDS-Deadline-Extension-Request-Form-EN.pdf

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Tuesday 5-7 PM

AAMJIWNAANG COMMUNITY MEMBERS

RECOVERY
Group



Peer Support

Life Skills

Addiction Education

Mental Health Support

New Connections

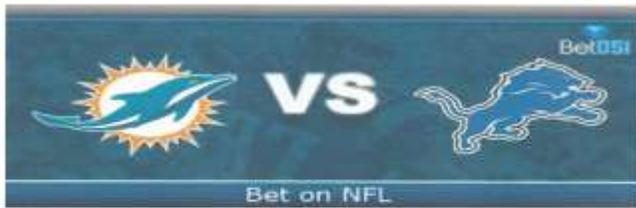
Safe place to share your recovery journey with others. Dinner, story sharing, song, smudge, and prayers to aid in the healing of wounds caused by addictions.

Please call ahead and book a spot because space is limited.

Rides are provided - call Amy to set up transportation.

AT COMMUNITY CENTRE
519-332-6770 EXT: 301

Willie's Adventures



SUNDAY OCT.30TH AT 1:00PM

\$200 CDN or \$160 US
(Ticket-Lower Bowl, Coach Bus)

Bus leaves from Two Waters Corunna at 9:00am Sharp and Food Basics, Sarnia at 9:30 am Sharp. We will be stopping at Tom & Jerry's Party Store, Port Huron.

Contact Willie's Adventures at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca

You can pay by e-transfer

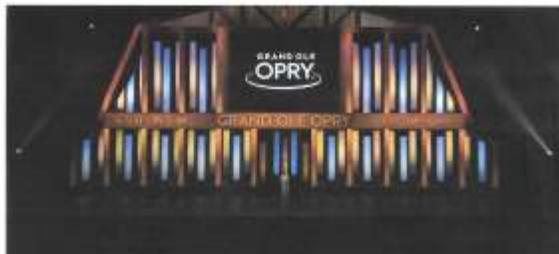


Thursday (THANKSGIVING) -
November 24th - 12:30 PM

Buffalo Bills vs Detroit Lions

\$330 CDN – Limo Coach Bus, Ticket Sec 135, Munchies (Ribs, Chicken Fingers, Wagon Wheels)

Bus leaves Two Waters Corunna 7:30 am SHARP and the Moose Lodge, Sarnia 8:00 am SHARP. We will be stopping at Kroger's, Soft Sided Coolers Allowed. NO STRYFOAM COOLERS. Contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or at willie@cogeco.ca

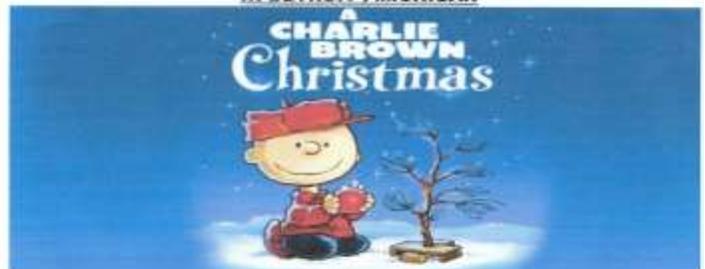


Nashville November 17-21 2022

Included: Coach Bus, 4 Nights Accommodation at "HYATT PLACE DOWNTOWN NASHVILLE with Breakfast, 2 Queen Beds, and Sofa Bed in each Room. **Ticket's to Grand Ole Opry & PREMIUM LOUNGE PASS** • Circle Room pass • Special hors d'oeuvres • Unlimited drinks from our top-shelf private bar • Commemorative photo • Artist visit and before Opry \$30 Gift Card for Supper at the Aquarium Restaurant, and Dinner, Show and Dancing at Wild Horses Saloon, and Lunch going to and from Nashville at the Golden Corral, Dayton Ohio. 4 in a room \$1165 US per Person, 3 in a Room \$1265 US per Person and 2 in a Room \$1465 US per Person. Bus leaves Two Water Brewing Co, Corunna at 5:00 am SHARP, Maawn Doosh Gumig at 5:30 am SHARP and Food Basics at 6:00 am SHARP. Contact Willie at 519-332-6771, 519-384-1957 or wille@cogeco.ca or Preferred Charters at 1-810-982-7433. A \$200 US Deposit secures your spot.:) Non Refundable with remainder due October 7, 2022.

AT THE
"FOX THEATER"

IN DETROIT, MICHIGAN



SUNDAY DEC. 4TH AT 12:30 PM

\$100 CDN or \$80 US

Preferred Coach Bus, Ticket

Bus leaves Two Waters Corunna at 8:00am, Maawn Doosh Gumig Aamjiwnaang at 8:30, Food Basics Sarnia 9:00 am and Pt.Edward Arena at 9:30 am. Tom & Jerry's Party Store in Port Huron at 10:30 am. 15 and Under must be accompanied by a Adult. Contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or wille@cogeco.ca

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS vs DETROIT RED WINGS



LITTLE CAESARS ARENA, DETROIT

Monday Nov.28th at 7:00 PM

Or

Thursday Jan.12th at 7:00 PM

\$230 CDN or \$190 US

Preferred Coach Bus, Lower Bowl Seat

Bus leaves Two Waters Corunna at 3:00 pm SHARP, Food Basics Sarnia 3:30 PM Sharp & Pt.Edward Arena at 4:00 PM Sharp. Soft Sided coolers allowed. Stopping at Tom & Jerry's in Port Huron. Contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca



TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS vs CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS

UNITED CENTER, CHICAGO

SAT. FEBUARY 18th TO MON. 20th

(Monday is a Holiday Family Day)

GAME IS SUNDAY 19th at 5:00 PM

**Includes - Coach Bus, 2 Nights at the Embassy Suites, State St. - 2 Double Beds, 2 Hr. Managers Party and Breakfast - Downtown Chicago, Ticket to Game **
2 in a Room Per Person \$650, 3 in a Room Per Person \$575, and 4 in a Room Per Person \$530 all in U.S. Funds. \$100 U.S. non-refundable deposit secures your spot. Remainder to be PAID by January 16th. Bus leaves Two Waters Corunna at 9:00 am Sharp and Food Basics at 9:30 am. Contact Willie at 519-384-1957 or willie@cogeco.ca



DETROIT RED WING
GAME LIST 2022-23

Coach Bus and Lower Bowl Ticket
to Little Caesars Arena, Detroit Mi

- Oct. 14th - Friday - Montreal Canadiens - \$240 CDN
"OPENING NIGHT"
- Nov.28th - Monday - Toronto Maple Leafs - \$230 CDN
- Jan. 12th - Thurs. - Toronto Maple Leafs - \$230 CDN
- Feb. 7th - Tuesday - Edmonton Oilers - \$200 CDN
- Mar. 8th - Weds. - Chicago Blackhawks - \$200 CDN
- Mar. 12th - Sunday - Boston Bruins - \$230 CDN
- Mar. 18th - Sat. - Colorado Avalanche - \$230 CDN
- April 8th - Sat. - Pittsburgh Penguins - \$230 CDN

Any questions you can Contact Willie at Willie's
Adventures 519-384- 1957 or willie@cogeco.ca



Ojibwe Word Search

Ziisbaakdoons—Candy	Waaboozoonh—Rabbit	Kaan-an Nini—Skeleton
Tassewong—Halloween	Jidimoonh—Squirrel	Esbikenh—Spider
Waagoosh—Fox	Gaa-zhig—Black Cat	Kos-maan—Pumpkin
Aandeg—Crow	KoKoKo—Owl	Jii-Bay—Ghost
Mooz—Moose	Mkwa—Bear	Amik—Beaver

Fall animals and Halloween Words

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Jidimoonh

Esbikenh

Waagoosh

Gaa-zhig

Kos-maan

Aandeg

KoKoKo

Jii-bay

Mooz

Mkwa

Amik

CROSSWORDS

Across

- 1. Deep mud
- 5. Corn units
- 9. Massachusetts city
- 14. Realm
- 15. Assist a crook
- 16. Nurse ____ Barton
- 17. Knocks
- 18. Gap
- 20. Rock band ____ Dan
- 22. Contrition
- 23. Howdy!
- 24. Make tea
- 26. Marathon, e.g.
- 28. Keaton and Sawyer
- 33. Pasta cheese
- 37. Wishing ____
- 38. Versus
- 39. Malady

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Job Search Websites

OFIFC www.ofifc.org/

Nokee Kwe www.nokekwe.ca/

Southern First Nation Secretariat, www.sfns.on.ca/index.html

N'Amerind Friendship Centre (London) www.namerind.on.ca/

Anishnawbe Health Toronto <http://www.aht.ca/>

SOAHAC London, Chippewas of the Thames, Owen Sound,
<http://www.soahac.on.ca/>

Six Nations (Ohsweken, ON), www.sixnations.ca/

Other Job Search Engines:

- <http://www.aboriginalcareers.ca/>
- <http://ca.indeed.com/Aboriginal-jobs>
- <http://www.wowjobs.ca/jobs-aboriginal-jobs>
- <http://www.turtleisland.org/front/front.htm>
- <http://www.eluta.ca/>
- <http://www.monster.ca/>
- <http://www.workopolis.com/>
- <http://www.jobs.ca/>
- <http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/eng/sc/jobs/jobbank.shtml>

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First Nations Political Arena you may visit:

Chiefs of Ontario visit:

<http://www.chiefs-of-ontario.org/>

Union of Ontario Indians visit:

<http://www.anishinabek.ca/>

Assembly of First Nations visit:

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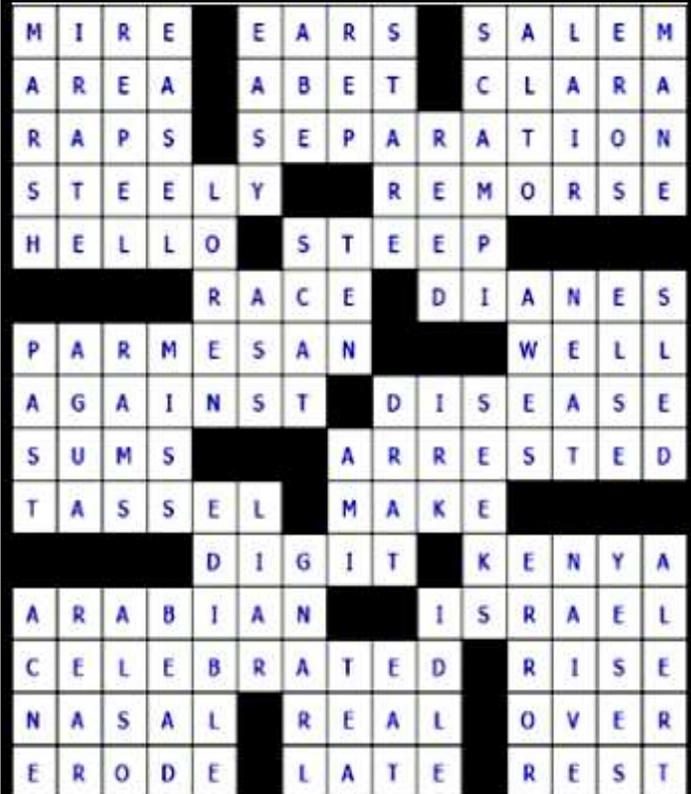
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